ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An electronic mall system is constituted of an ASP electronic mall and an ASP registration DB. Applications available for selection are represented as icons and a common execution screen is generated. The icons are linked with the ASP registration DB. The accounts are settled with each user and each ASP by measuring the application utilization time of the user and collating it with the ASP registration DB. A high-performance infrastructure environment is provided to support ASPs.